

FISCAL NOTE

SB 289 - HB 238

February 17, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates new offense of knowingly aiming a laser pointer at firefighters, emergency medical technicians and other emergency service personnel. Violation is a Class A misdemeanor. Current law only covers law enforcement officers.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Revenues – Not Significant

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumption:

- There will not be a sufficient number of prosecutions for local governments to experience any significant increase in revenues or expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director